United States District Court Southern District of Texas

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June 30, 2017

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

SANDBOX LOGISTICS, LLC; and	§	
OREN TECHNOLOGIES, LLC,	§	
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Plaintiffs,	§	
	§	Cara Na. 4:17 00590
v.	§	Case No. 4:17-cv-00589
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PROPPANT EXPRESS INVESTMENTS,	§	
LLC; PROPPANT EXPRESS	§	
SOLUTIONS, LLC; and LIBERTY	Š	
OILFIELD SERVICES, LLC,	Š	
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Defendants.	§	

FIRST AMENDED PATENT CASE SCHEDULING ORDER

The Court GRANTS the unopposed motion by Defendants to modify the case schedule and accordingly AMENDS the Scheduling Order (Doc. 45) as follows:

	Current Deadline	Proposed Deadline	
2	July 6, 2017	July 20, 2017 [6 weeks after # 1]	Comply with P.R. 3-3 and 3-4: Parties to serve preliminary invalidity contentions and make document production. Thereafter, it is necessary to obtain leave of Court to add and/or amend invalidity contentions, pursuant to P.R 3-7.
			Add any inequitable conduct allegations to pleadings. Before this date, it is not necessary to file a motion for leave to add inequitable conduct allegations to pleadings. Thereafter, it is necessary to obtain leave of court to add inequitable conduct allegations to pleadings.
3	July 20, 2017 [2 weeks after # 2]	August 3, 2017 [2 weeks after # 2]	Comply with P.R. 4-1: Parties' exchange of proposed terms and claim elements needing construction.
4	August 10, 2017 [3 weeks after # 3]	August 24, 2017 [3 weeks after # 3]	Comply with P.R. 4-2: Parties' exchange of preliminary claim constructions and extrinsic evidence.
			Privilege Logs to be exchanged by parties (or a letter to the Court stating that there are no disputes as to claims of privileged documents).
5	September 7, 2017 [9 weeks after	September 21, 2017 [9 weeks after	Deadline to comply with P.R. 4-3: Filing of joint claim construction and pre-hearing statement.
	# 2; 17 weeks after Scheduling Conf.]	# 2; 17 weeks after Scheduling Conf.]	Disclosure of parties' claim construction experts & service of FED. R. CIV. P. 26(a)(2) materials.
6	September 7, 2017 [matches # 5]	September 21, 2017 [matches # 5]	Deadline for all parties to file amended pleadings (pre-claim construction). It is not necessary to file a Motion for Leave to Amend before the deadline to amend pleadings. (It

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			will be necessary to file a Motion for Leave to Amend after this deadline.) NOTE: If the amendment would affect preliminary infringement contentions or preliminary invalidity contentions, a motion must be made pursuant to P.R. 3-7 irrespective of whether the amendment is made prior to this deadline.
7	September 21, 2017 [2 weeks after # 6; generally 19 weeks after Scheduling Conf.]	October 5, 2017 [2 weeks after # 6; generally 19 weeks after Scheduling Conf.]	Responses to amended pleadings due.

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All other deadlines remain the same.

SIGNED, at Galveston, Texas, this 27 day of June, 2017.

George C. Hanks Jr.

United States District Judge